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Examiner: Eziamara Anthony Ojini

In Re PATENT APPLICATION Of:

Applicant(s): Patrick Michael McCaffrey et al.

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**NOTICE OF  
APPEAL**

For: POWDER FOR DISKS

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Docket No.: IBM 204RB

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Commissioner for Patents

P.O. Box 1450

Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Applicants hereby appeal to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the decision dated August 24, 2004, of the Examiner finally rejecting claims 1, 4-9, 21 and 23-28.

The item(s) checked below are appropriate:

1.  An extension of time to respond to the final rejection:

- a.  was obtained on \_\_\_\_ for \_\_\_\_ month(s);
- b.  is hereby requested under 37 CFR 1.136.

2.  Fee (see formula below) is enclosed.

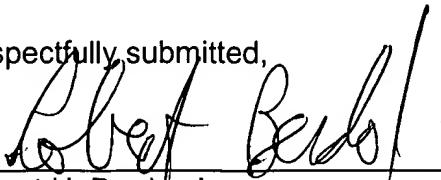
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